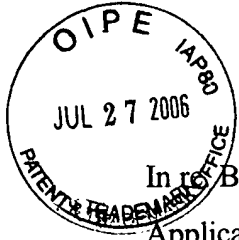


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SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

An Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) was initially filed on June 14, 2005. The Office Action of July 5, 2006 indicates that physical copies were not included. Applicants respectfully submit that electronic copies of the references, which are quite lengthy, were provided on a CD enclosed in the IDS of June 14, 2005. Consequently this revised IDS, providing the requested physical copies, is filed under 37 C.F.R. 1.97(c) after the first Office Action on the merits, but before a Final Office Action or a Notice of Allowance. The \$180.00 fee set forth in 37 CFR§ 1.17(p) in accordance with 37 CFR§ 1.97(c) is to be charged to Deposit Account No. 50-2193.

Exhibits 1 - 3 were taken from a review of co-pending U.S. Application No. 10/539,174, commonly assigned to Nutrinova Nutrition Specialties & Food Ingredients GmbH, also filed on June 14, 2005. This submission, made out of an abundance of caution and in compliance with *Dayco Products, Inc. v. Total Containment, Inc.* 329 F.3d 1358 (Fed. Cir. (MO) May 23, 2003), does not represent that the above-noted cases constitute an application family. Applicant respectfully requests that each reference be reviewed and made of record in the instant application. Each of the references noted within the attached Forms PTO/SB/08A and PTO/SB/08B are being simultaneously supplied in U.S. Application No. 10/539,174. Consequently, it is assumed that no copies need be furnished. However, copies will be furnished upon request.

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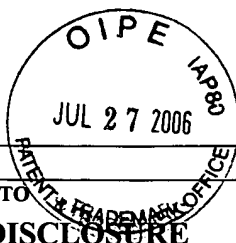
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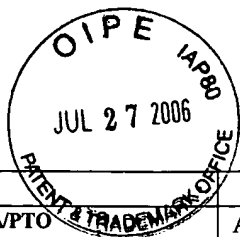


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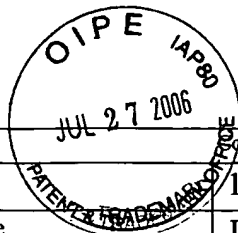


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